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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
COMMUNICATIONS SECTION

JUN 18 1964

TELETYPE

Mr. Tolson_____
Mr. Belmont_____
Mr. Mohr_____
Mr. Casper_____
Mr. Callahan_____
Mr. Conrad_____
Mr. DeLoach_____
Mr. Evans_____
Mr. Gale_____
Mr. Rosen_____
Mr. Sullivan_____
Mr. Tavel_____
Mr. Trotter_____
Tele. Room_____
Miss Holmes_____
Miss Gandy_____

FBI WASH DC

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HOLD FOR TWO PLS

FBI CHICAGO

551 PM CDST URGENT 6-18-64 MKS

TO DIRECTOR

FROM CHICAGO (9-NEW)

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UNSUB, AKA [REDACTED]; IRV KUPCINET DASH VICTIM, EXTORTION.

CHICAGO OFFICE IN RECEIPT THIS DATE OF LETTER OF POST
OFFICE DEPARTMENT, CHICAGO, REFERRING TO FBI A LETTER THEY HAD
RECEIVED FROM THE ANTI-DEFAMATION LEAGUE OF B'NAI B'RITH,
CHICAGO. B'NAI B'RITH LETTER ENCLOSED A LETTER RECEIVED BY
IRV KUPCINET, A COLUMNIST FOR CHICAGO SUN-TIMES NEWSPAPER.

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LETTER BORE RETURN ADDRESS OF [REDACTED] ST. CHARLES,

ILLINOIS AND LETTER WAS DATED JUNE SIX LAST AND POSTMARKED

JUNE EIGHT LAST. LETTER READS IN PART QUOTE BY THE WAY

IRV WHO ARE YOU TRYING TO FOOL WHEN YO GIVE THE MEN A RIDE

ON YOUR PURPLE HEART CRUISE? AND HOW MUCH DO YOU MAKE ON

IT? I AM [REDACTED] YEARS OF AGE AND HAVE NEVER CAME INTO CONTACT

WITH ANY PERSONS OF YOUR RELIGION THAT GAVE ANY THING A WAY,

NOR ANY ONE THAT EVER HELPED OUT A GENTILE FOR THAT MATTER,

END PAGE ONE

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PAGE TWO

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ENQUOTE. LETTER FURTHER ON READS AS FOLLOWS: QUOTE IF THIS
COUNTRY IS EVER BOMBED YOU MAY REST ASSURED THAT I
WILL PERSONALLY PICK UP A GUN AGAIN AND KILL EVERY JEW THAT
WALKS OR BREATHS. AND MY ONLY HOPE IS THAT YOU ARE STILL
ALIVE WHEN IT HAPPENS, BECAUSE YOU WILL BE THE FIRST TO GO.
ENQUOTE.

CASE WILL BE DISCUSSED WITH USA, CHICAGO, AND BUREAU
WILL BE KEPT ADVISED.

END WA

FBI WASH DC

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Date: 6/23/64

Transmit the following in _____ (Type in plain text or code) b7C

Via AIRTEL _____ (Priority)

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI
(ATTN: FBI LABORATORY)

FROM : SAC, CHICAGO (9-3588)

SUBJECT: UNSUB, aka, [REDACTED]
IRVING KUPCINET - VICTIM
EXTORTION - RACIAL MATTER

452783

Re Chicago teletype to Bureau dated 6/18/64.

Enclosed herewith for the Bureau are the following items:

Envelope postmarked "SAINT CHARLES, ILL JUN 8 AM 1964", bearing typewritten address "Mr Irving Kupcinet Sun - Times Column Chicago Illinois." and typewritten return address [REDACTED] St Charles, Ill."

Accompanying one page typewritten letter commencing "St Charles, Illinois. Sunday, June 6th 1964..." and ending "... in the Obituary Column."

On 6/23/64, KUPCINET advised SA [REDACTED] as follows:

Instant letter received in mail 6/9/64, by his secretary who opened it and gave it to him. He then sent it to the Mid-West Office, B'nai B'rith, Chicago, with understanding it would be forwarded to Post Office Department for information.

- 3 - Bureau (Encls. 2) (RM)
- 2 - Chicago
(1 - 157-0)

JAP:pan
(5)

ENCLOSURE

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1 JUN 25 1964

C C = Wick

Approved: [Signature]

Special Agent in Charge

Sent

Per

53 JUL 6 1964

CG 9-3588

He was advised of the FBI's jurisdiction in Extortion matters, and the method of preserving future letters for latent fingerprints. He stated he would advise his secretary of this procedure. He stated that if he received similar letters he would immediately advise the FBI.

He has not received any other letters from [] and [] is unknown to him. He has no suspects.

Chief of Police D. ROGERS, St. Charles, Illinois, advised SA [] on 6/23/64, he has no arrest record for [] and that no [] is registered in St. Charles.

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[], Aurora Credit Bureau, Aurora, Illinois, which reports for St. Charles, Illinois, advised SA [] he has no credit record for []


It is requested the enclosures be searched through the Anonymous Letter File and be examined for indented writing. Also attempt to determine make and manufacturer of typewriter used and manufacturer of notepaper. Due to unknown number of persons who handled items at B'nai B'rith and United States Post Office, no latent print investigation requested.

It is requested these examinations be expedited and the results thereof furnished to Chicago for inclusion in preliminary closing report.

Upon completion of examinations, items should be returned to Chicago.

Letterhead memorandum in racial matter being submitted.

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Unsub a/c
Dr. Kaufman - Vert
EXT - RM

9-42439-2

ENCLOSURE



U.S. Department of Justice

Federal Bureau of Investigation

In Reply, Please Refer to
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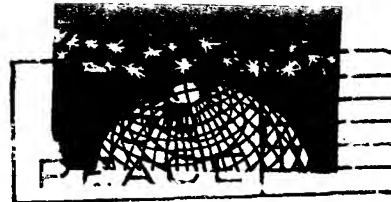
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(E.G. CATALOGS, ITEMS THAT WOULD NOT FIT IN FEEDER,
ETC.) .

NEGATIVES

[Redacted]
St Charles, Ill.

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Mr Irving Kupchanet
Sun - Times Column
Chicago Sun-Times
Chicago, Illinois.

0-452783 Q1 HW
FBI
JUN 10 1964

St Charles, Illinois.
Sunday, June 6th 1964

Mr Kupincet

If you are such a Man that you can answer all the Questions that are Asked of you, Please answer the Following.

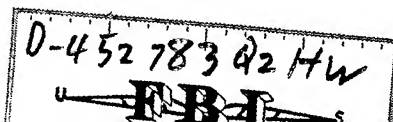
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Have you or anybody else ever saw a Negro or a Jew win the Congressional MEDAL OF HONOR in Defense of This Country? Who runs all the Run down Flop Houses that are Located onm South State Street, Madison Street and North Clark Street? The Jew. Would you not say that this makes the Jew a Parasites

By the Way Irv who are you trying to Fool when you give the Men a Ride on your Purple Heart Cruise? And how much do you make on it? I am 53 Years of age and have never came into Contact with any Persons of Your Religion that gave any thing a Way, nor any one that ever helped out a Gentile for that Matter. I also Servered in the Second World War on a Heavy Cruiseer and have yet the First Jew to aboard a Ship.

Also in Korea On an Ammunition Carrieras a Volenteerand not one Jew was aboard Her Irv Do me a Faver and Drop Dead as all the Rest of the Jew Bastards should Do.

If this Country is ever Bombed you may Rest assured that I will Person- ally Pick up a Gun again and Kill every Jew that walks or Breaths. And my only Hope is that You are Still alive when it Happens, because you will be the First to Go. As a matter of Fact you have Top Prior- ority. The best jew is dead jew, The only Reason that I buy your Paper is to be able to count the dead jews in the Obituary Column.





U.S. Department of Justice

Federal Bureau of Investigation

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Date: 6/23/64

Transmit the following in _____
(Type in plain text or code)Via AIRTEL _____
(Priority or Method of Mailing)

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI ATT'N: CIVIL RIGHTS SECTION
 FROM : SAC, CHICAGO (157-0) GENERAL INVESTIGATIVE
 DIVISION
 SUBJECT: UNSUB, Aka. [REDACTED] b7C
 IRV KUPCINET - VICTIM
 EXTORTION - RACIAL MATTERS

Re Chicago airtel to Bureau 6/23/64.

Enclosed are 8 copies of a LHM regarding the captioned matter.

Agency G-2, ONI, CSI, CRD

Date Forw. JUN 26 1964

How Forw. RS

By LAG: Cad

2 - destroyed
1 cc Org. UnitREC 12
1 JUN 25 1964

ENCLOSURE

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 2 - Chicago
 1 - 9-3588
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Approved: Wick

Special Agent in Charge

Sent _____ M Per _____



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to
File No.

Chicago, Illinois
June 23, 1964

UNKNOWN SUBJECT, Also Known
as [REDACTED]
IRV KUPCINET - VICTIM
EXTORTION - RACIAL MATTERS

On June 18, 1964, the Chicago, Illinois, office of the Federal Bureau of Investigation received a letter from the United States Post Office Department, Chicago, enclosing a letter and envelope they had received from the Anti-Defamation League of B'nai B'rith, Chicago, which was addressed to Irv Kupcinet, a columnist for the "Chicago Sun-Times" newspaper. Kupcinet had sent the letter and envelope to the Anti-Defamation League of B'nai B'rith. Kupcinet had received this letter in the mail on June 9, 1964, in an envelope postmarked June 8, 1964, at Saint Charles, Illinois, and bearing the return address of [REDACTED] St. Charles, Illinois. b7C

The letter reads as follows:

"St Charles, Illinois.
Sunday, June 6th 1964

"Mr Kupincet

"If you are such a Man that you can answer all the Questions that are Asked of you, Please answer the Following.

"Isn't it True that the Jew is the Cause of all the Trouble that is being brought upon the Human Race? Did not the Jew sell the American Flag Down the River after a Hell of a lot of American Boys, (Gentiles) Died for them. Isnt it also true that there are not any Negro,s living in Skokie, Lawrence and Kedzie and Lake Shore Drive Area. Also is it not true that when the Jew Moves out they sell all of there Property to the Negro at a Profit? And the Surrounding Neighborhoods become Havens for Crime, caused by the Jew Selling the (Gentol (Gentile) out.

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RE: UNKNOWN SUBJECT: Also
Known As [REDACTED]
IRV KUPCINET - VICTIM

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At 10:00 a.m., on June 23, 1964, the above information was furnished to [REDACTED] Group, Chicago, Illinois.

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At 10:05 a.m., on June 23, 1964, the above information was furnished to Sergeant Sam Nolan, Human Relations Section, Chicago Police Department, Chicago, Illinois

This document contains neither recommendations nor conclusions of the FBI. It is the property of the FBI and is loaned to your agency; it and its contents are not to be distributed outside your agency.



**FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

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To: **FBI, Chicago (9-3588)**

Date: **June 26, 1964**

Re: **Unsub. aka**

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**IRV KUPCINET - VICTIM
EXTORTION - RACIAL MATTER**

J. Edgar Hoover
John Edgar Hoover, Director

FBI File No.

Lab. No.

D-452783 HW

Examination requested by: **Chicago**

Reference: **Airtel 6/23/64**

Examination requested: **Document**

Remarks:

More specifically, the style of type used to prepare Q1 and Q2 resembles the standard on file for a Hermes Rocket portable style of type. This particular typewriter is made in Switzerland. However, it should be noted that a particular style of foreign type may be found on any one of a number of machines.

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4 JUN 30 1964

Enclosures (4) (Q1, Q2, 2 Lab report)

Tolson _____
Belmont _____
Mohr _____
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Callahan _____
Conrad _____
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TELETYPE UNIT ☐

REPORT
of the



FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C.

To: **FBI, Chicago**

Date: **June 26, 1964**

Re: **Unsub, aka** b7C

FBI File No.

Lab. No. **D-452783 HW**

**IRV KUPCINET - VICTIM
EXTORTION - RACIAL MATTER**

Specimens received **6/25/64**

- Q1 Envelope postmarked "SAINT CHARLES. ILL 1 JUN 8 AM 1964" bearing typewritten address "Mr. Irving Kupcinet Sun - Times Column Chicago Sun - Times Chicago, Illinois"**
- Q2 Accompanying one-page typewritten letter beginning "Mr. Kupincet If you are..." and ending "...in the Obituary Column."**

Result of examination:

Specimens Q1 and Q2 were not identified in the Anonymous Letter File.

The style of type used to prepare the typewritten material on Q1 and Q2 most closely resembles the standard on file for a Hermes pica style of type which is spaced approximately ten characters to the inch.

No indented handwriting was found on Q1 and Q2 and nothing of particular significance was noted during the physical examination of these two items.

Specimens Q1 and Q2 have been photographed and are returned herewith.

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Tolson _____
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MAIL ROOM ☐ TELETYPE UNIT ☐

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Laboratory Work Sheet

Re: UNSUB, aka, [REDACTED]
IRV KUPCINET - VICTIM
EXTORTION - RACIAL MATTER

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File # 9-42439-4
Lab. # D-452783 HW

Examination requested by: Chicago (9-3588)

Airtel 6/23/64

Examination requested: Document

Date received: 6/25/64 b7C

Result of Examination:

Examination by: [REDACTED]

tw - resembles Hermes Rocket portable Rea

No Ident ALF - add

No indented lines + nothing say re paper exam.

Photo + return

6/25/64

Specimens submitted for examination

<u>SPECIMEN</u>	<u>CHECK #</u>	<u>AMOUNT</u>	<u>DATE</u>	<u>PAYABLE TO</u>	<u>SIGNED</u>	<u>BANK</u>
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Q1 Envelope postmarked "SAINT CHARLES. ILL JUN 8 AM 1964", bearing typewritten address "Mr. Irving Kupcinet Sun - Times Column Chicago, Illinois."

Chicago Sun-Times Chicago, Illinois

Q2 *acc.* One-page typewritten letter beginning "St. Charles, Illinois. ~~Sunday June 6th 1964~~ and ending "...in the Obituary Column."

PHOTOGRAPHED
JUN 25 1964

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Laboratory Work Sheet

Re:

UNSUB, aka, [REDACTED]
IRV KUPCINET - VICTIM
EXTORTION - RACIAL MATTER

File # 9-42439-4
Lab. #
D-452783 FH

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Examination requested by:

Chicago (9-3588)

Airtel 6/23/64

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Date received:

Result of Examination:

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Q2 One page typewritten letter beginning "St Charles, Illinois, Sunday June 6th 1964..." and ending "...in the Voluntary Column."

RECEIVED
JUN 25 1964

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

REPORTING OFFICE CHICAGO	OFFICE OF ORIGIN CHICAGO	DATE 7/7/64	INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD 6/23-26/64
TITLE OF CASE UNKNOWN SUBJECT, aka IRV\KUPCINET - VICTIM		REPORT MADE BY SA	TYPED BY b11
		CHARACTER OF CASE EXTORTION - RACIAL MATTER	

REFERENCES: Chicago airtel to Bureau dated 6/23/64.
Bureau letter to Chicago dated 6/26/64.

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COVER PAGE

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Copy to: 1 - USA, Chicago

Report of: SA [REDACTED]

Office: Chicago

Date: July 7, 1964

Field Office File No.: 9-3588

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Bureau File No.:

Title: UNKNOWN SUBJECT, aka
[REDACTED]
IRV KUPCINET - VICTIM

Character: EXTORTION - RACIAL MATTER

Synopsis:

IRV KUPCINET, columnist for "Chicago Sun-Times" newspaper, Chicago, Illinois, received typewritten letter postmarked 6/8/64 at St. Charles, Illinois, with return address [REDACTED] St. Charles, Ill.," which contained threats against him and Jews. Contents of letter set out. Victim has no suspects. No arrest or credit record located for a [REDACTED] of St. Charles, Illinois. FBI Laboratory reported specimens not identified in Anonymous Letter File; that style of type used most closely resembles the standard for a Hermes pica style of type; that no indented handwriting or anything of particular significance was noted during physical examination of specimens. Victim's description set out.

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CG 9-3588

DETAILS: AT CHICAGO, ILLINOIS

On June 18, 1964, the Chicago Office of the FBI received a letter from the Postal Inspector in Charge, Chicago, Illinois, referring to the FBI a letter received from the Anti-Defamation League of B'nai B'rith, Chicago.

B'nai B'rith letter enclosed a letter received by IRV KUPCINET, a columnist for the "Chicago Sun-Times" newspaper, which letter contained a threat against KUPCINET.

6/29/64

Date

IRV KUPCINET, Columnist, Chicago Sun-Times
Newspaper, 401 North Wabash, advised as follows:

On June 7, 1964, he received the following
items in the mail:

b7C Envelope postmarked "SAINT CHARLES, ILL
JUN 8 AM 1964: with typewritten address: Mr Irving
Kupcinet Sun - Times Column Chicago Sun-Times
Chicago, Illinois." and typewritten return address
[redacted] St Charles, Ill."

Accompanying letter, typewritten, contained
therein as follows:

"St Charles, Illinois.
Sunday, June 6th 1964

"Mr. Kupcinet

"If you are such a Man that you can answer all
the Questions that are Asked of you, Please answer the
Following.

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Trouble that is being brought upon the Human Race?
Did not the Jew sell the American Flag Down the
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and North Clark Street? The Jew. Would you not
say that this makes the Jew a Parasites

On 6/23/64 at Chicago, Illinois File # 9-3588
by SA [redacted] /bas b7C Date dictated 6/23/64

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"By the Way Irv who are you trying to Fool when you give the Men a Ride on your Purple Heart Cruise? And how much do you make on it? I am 53 Years of age and have never came into Contact with any Persons of Your Religion that gave any thing a Way, nor any one that ever helped out a Gentile for that Matter. I also Servered in the Second World War on a Heavy Cruiseer and have yet the First Jew to aboard a Ship.

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KUPCINET advised as follows:

His secretary opens his mail and made the above letter available to him. He then made the letter available to the Midwest Regional Office, Anti-Defamation League of B'nai B'rith, 222 West Adams, Chicago, and understood the letter would be furnished to the Post Office Department.

He was advised of FBI jurisdiction in Extortion matters and stated he would instruct his secretary that if he received similar letters to preserve them for fingerprint examination and that he would immediately make them available to the FBI.

During his years as a columnist, he has received numerous letters similar to the above letters, but usually throws them away because he expects such mail as a natural result of his column and television show.

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The name [redacted] is unknown to
him and he has never received other letters from
[redacted] He had no suspects.

He furnished his description as follows:

Name	IRV KUPCINET
Race	White
Sex	Male
Age	51
Height	6'1"
Weight	205 pounds
Hair	Dark brown
Eyes	Brown
Residence	442 Wellington Place, Chicago, Illinois

Date 6/30/64

[redacted] Anti-Defamation League, Chicago, Illinois, advised that her office received a letter from columnist IRV KUPCINET written by one [redacted] and had forwarded it to the Postal Inspector in Charge, Chicago.

She stated that a review of her records did not indicate any further information concerning [redacted]

She stated numerous persons in the League read and handled the letter because it was sent to a columnist and that she could not identify the persons who handled it.

She was advised of the jurisdiction of the FBI in extortion matters and stated that if her office received any letters under the jurisdiction of the FBI, she would immediately advise the Chicago Office.

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She was unable to furnish additional information.

On 6/23/64 at Chicago, Illinois File # CG 9-3588

by SA [redacted] /mkp Date dictated 6/24/64

The following investigation was conducted by
SA [REDACTED]

AT ST. CHARLES, ILLINOIS

On June 23, 1964, DONALD ROGERS Chief of Police, advised he had no arrest record for a [REDACTED] Chief ROGERS reviewed various license applications, permits and directories and could locate no record for [REDACTED]

AT AURORA, ILLINOIS

On June 23, 1964, [REDACTED] Aurora Credit Bureau, advised his bureau covers St. Charles, Illinois, and that he could locate no credit record for a [REDACTED]

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By communication dated June 23, 1964, the envelope and letter received by victim were forwarded to the FBI Laboratory.

By communication dated June 26, 1964, the FBI Laboratory reported as follows:

Specimens received June 25, 1964

- Q1 Envelope postmarked "SAINT CHARLES, ILL 1 JUN 8 AM 1964" bearing typewritten address "Mr. Irving Kupcinet Sun - Times Column Chicago Sun - Times Chicago, Illinois"
- Q2 Accompanying one-page typewritten letter beginning "Mr. Kupincet If you are..." and ending "...in the Obituary Column."

Result of examination:

Specimens Q1 and Q2 were not identified in the Anonymous Letter File.

The style of type used to prepare the typewritten material on Q1 and Q2 most closely resembles the standard on file for a Hermes pica style of type which is spaced approximately ten characters to the inch.

No indented handwriting was found on Q1 and Q2 and nothing of particular significance was noted during the physical examination of these two items.